

10/527713

Dis. Rec'd PCT/PTO 11 MAR 2005
PATENT
Docket No. 32860-000867/US

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Wolfgang RZADKI et al.
Int'l Application No.: PCT/DE200/003034
Application No.: **NEW APPLICATION**
Filed: March 11, 2005
For: FRIGATE SHIP-TYPE EQUIPMENT SYSTEM

LETTER

Customer Service Window
Randolph Building
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
Mail Stop **PCT**

March 11, 2005

Sir:

Amended sheets are attached hereto (which correspond to Article 34 amendments or to claims attached to the International Preliminary Examination Report), as required by 35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3). The Article 34 amended sheets are incorporated in the included substitute specification and Preliminary Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

HARNESS, DICKEY & PIERCE, P.L.C.

By: _____

Donald J. Daley, Reg. No. 34,313

DJD:smk

P.O. Box 8910
Reston, Virginia 20195
(703) 668-8000

New Claim 1:

1. A "frigate" vessel-type equipment system having
standard equipment segments, for power generation,
5 power distribution, propulsion and automation, and
having a vessel hull (1), which is matched to the
"frigate" vessel-type equipment system on a size
and requirement-specific basis,
wherein the standard equipment segments are formed
10 from standard units and components which are
arranged in accordance with the requirements in
the vessel hull (1) of the "frigate" vessel-type
equipment system, and which can be installed in
vessel holes of different vessel-type equipment
15 systems.